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In Re Application of: CONG THANH DINH

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For: Electrical Closure Apparatus Having Wall Impression Members

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Washington, D.C. 20231

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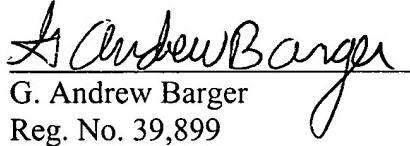
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Applicant earnestly solicits early and favorable consideration.

Very truly yours,

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